

Gather 2 Give Ministry Needs

Through December, Gather 2 Give ministry is collecting the following items to assist the Anderson Homeless Project: warm wool socks, lip balm, and sleeping bags. Items can be placed in the blue basket near the Junior room.

Focused Prayer

As you pray this week, consider the general points below to help guide your requests and praises.

Health Needs

We remember those recovering from accidents and injuries at work or sports
Especially, we pray for the healing of the brokenness in our relationships, both in our own families and our church family
Thank God for the healing power of prayer, and the One who heals the broken-hearted and soothes the mind

Our Church – Local and World-Wide

Lord, help us all to put into practice the “Back to the Altar” principles of prayer as individuals and as a church as we unite in prayer more intentionally
We praise you, Lord, for the ways that you are blessing our schools and are making them a blessing in many ways
Continue to keep Journey to Bethlehem in your prayers—for those participating and attending

Community & Country

We pray for those in authority, and for those at the other end of the spectrum, many of whom are in dire need—we pray for those who are actively seeking to relieve the suffering and provide for the needs of displaced and bereaved folks

Other requests

We continue to pray for a compliance with Your will that will prepare us for the outpouring of the latter rain of Your Holy Spirit—seeking You, Lord, wholeheartedly

Giving Guide

We thank you for supporting our local and global church through your giving. You may place a tithe envelope in any of the locked boxes at the sanctuary entrance doors or scan the QR code in the box below to give online.

Financial Report through November 16, 2024

To financially support any of our church ministries, please mark your tithe envelope accordingly.
Any undesignated contributions turned in by tithe envelope will remain in the local church



	Yearly Budget	Monthly Budget	Rec. this month	Budget to date	YTD Rec.
Church Budget*	\$223,200	\$18,600	\$16,877	\$197,455	\$184,346
Media Ministry	\$20,500	\$1,708	\$2,415	\$18,170	\$21,099

*Church Budget consists of: Christian Education (41%), Church Expense (30%), Evangelism (3.5%), Building Maintenance (3%), Operating Reserves (Working Capital) (3%), Media Ministry (3%), Pathfinders (3%), Sabbath School (3%), Contingency (2%), Youth/YA (2%), Community Services (2%), Worthy Student (2%), Adventurers (1%), Personal Ministries (1%), and Social Committee (0.5%)



November 23, 2024

Happy Sabbath and Welcome to the Cicero SDA Church

Sabbath School – 9:45 a.m.

There are adult Sabbath School classes located in the church sanctuary and in the fellowship hall – please feel free to join either class. For the location of children, youth, and young adult classes, please ask the greeter for directions.

Worship Service – 10:50 a.m.

Mission Spotlight

Welcome & Announcements

Bob Bartlett

Praise through Singing

Worship through the Written Word *Micah Byrd & Madison Mcmillen*
Psalm 100:1-5

Garden of Prayer *Micah Byrd & Madison Mcmillen*

Children's Story *Luanna Fossmeyer*

Worship through Giving *Bob Bartlett*
Indiana Advance

Music for Meditation *Cicero Mens Quartet*

Worship through the Spoken Word *Pastor Aaron*
"The Sacrifice of Praise"

Hymn of Dedication #560
Let All Things Now Living

Announcements

Welcome to Church

As we especially focus on being thankful at this time of year, we'll be highlighting those "thanks" during our worship service today. We will also be showing our monthly Mission Spotlight video between Sabbath School and Church. Be sure to be in the sanctuary by 10:50 a.m. to be blessed by another mission report. After the service we'll be having a fellowship lunch. All visitors are warmly invited to join us in the fellowship hall for food and a time of visiting together.

Shoebboxes for Kids

If you took a shoebox to fill up, they are due back today. See Betty Reutebuch if you have any issue getting your box back in time.

Pathfinder Investiture Service

All are invited to the Pathfinder Induction and Master Guide Investiture Service this evening at 6:00 p.m. in the church sanctuary. We will be inducting 10 Pathfinders to our club and investing Art and Karen Miller as Master Guides.

MMT Recommendations – First Reading

Assistant Pathfinder Leader: Mitchell Griffin

Junior Sabbath School Asssitants: Ariana Coast and Alanna Taylor

Deaconess: Luanna Fossmeyer

Deacon: Adam Ricci

Pastor Appreciation

Each holiday season, we as a church family offer a monetary gift of appreciation to our pastors for all they do for our us throughout the year. If you'd like to give towards their gifts, please mark your tithe envelope (or online giving envelope) as "Pastor Appreciation". Thanks in advance for your generosity!

Farewell Hymnal

There is a farewell hymnal for Jim Wilson in the lobby. Please take a minute to sign your name and write him a brief note or memory.

Thanks!

The Senior Class at I.A. would like to thank all of you for supporting us during the Senior Dedication weekend. We appreciate your prayers, your encouraging words, and your attendance at our fundraiser on Saturday night.

Church Budget Needs

Please keep our church budget in your end-of-year giving plans. We have a significant shortfall to make up in the last few weeks of the year. Prayerfully consider how you can support our church and its many ministries and outreach programs through your donations.

Sunset tonight at 5:23 p.m.

Sunset next Friday at 5:20 p.m.